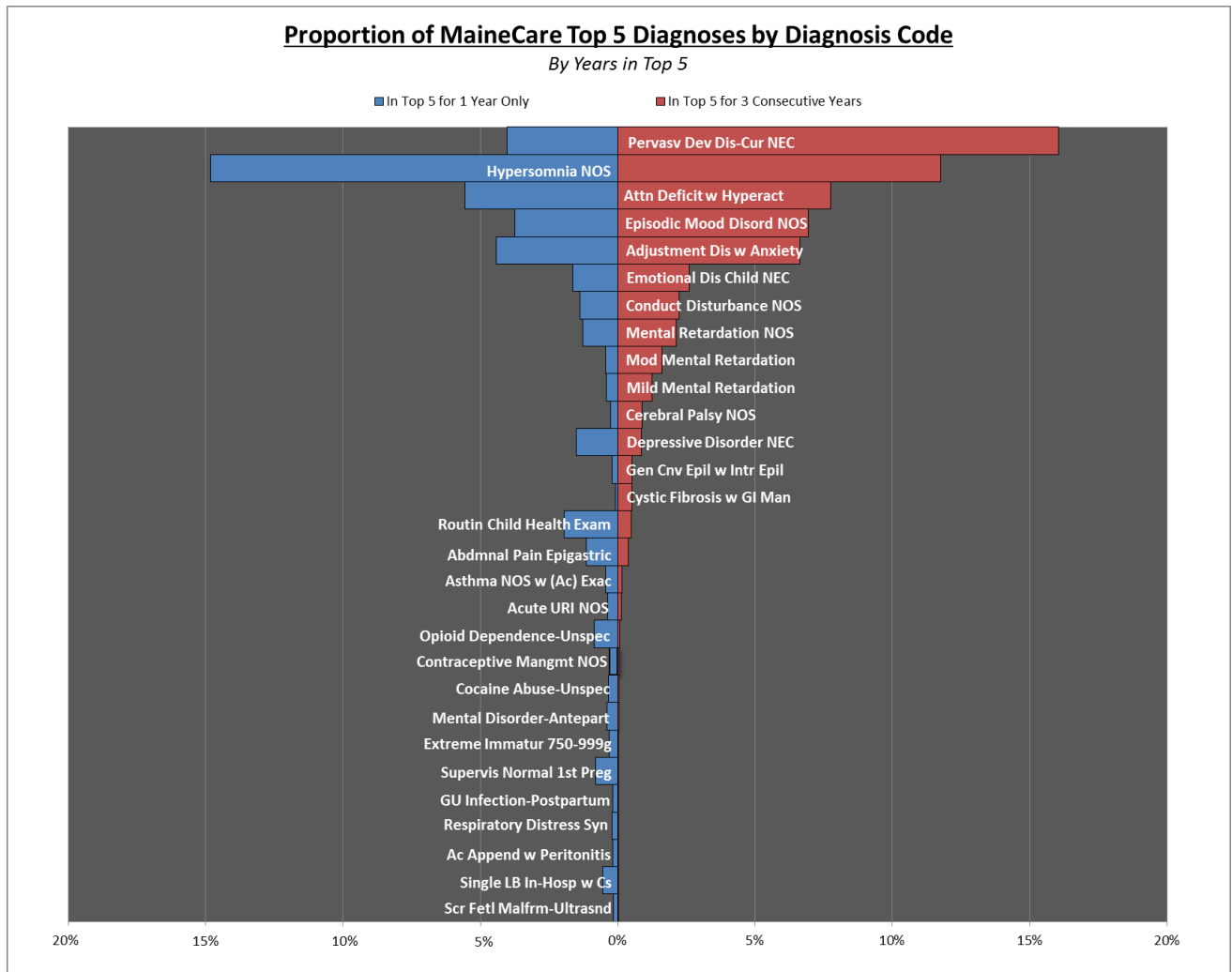


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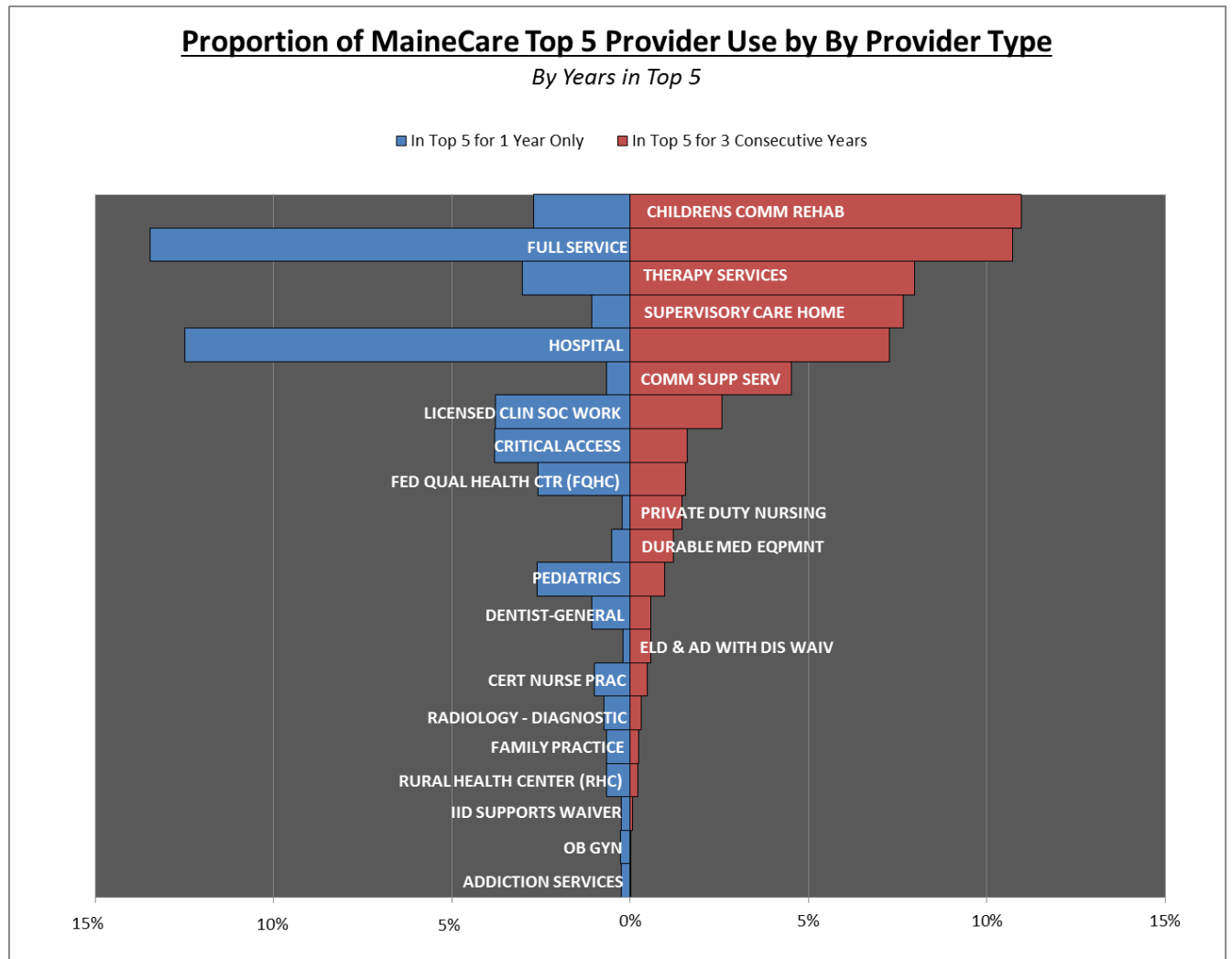
The following graphics expand on the Top 5 concept by investigating the differences between patients present in the Top 5 group for 1 year (blue bars) versus those in the Top 5 group for 3 consecutive years (red bars).

Text appearing to the left of the center line indicates a larger proportion of the 1-year cohort presented with the element of analysis (e.g. diagnosis etc.), while text appearing to the right of the center line indicates a larger proportion of the 3-year cohort presented with the element of analysis.

The first of these graphs illustrates the proportion of the 1-year and 3-year cohorts with respect to Diagnosis Code. For instance, a larger proportion of the 3-year cohort presented with Current Pervasive Developmental Disabilities NEC than in the 1-year cohort. The opposite is true in the case of Hypersomnia (NOS). These diagnoses are ordered from largest to smallest for the 3-year cohort.



The second graphic illustrates the proportion of the 1-year and 3-year cohorts with respect to the type of providers being used. For instance, a larger proportion of the 3-year cohort used Children's Community Rehabilitation providers than in the 1-year cohort. The opposite is true in the case of Full Service providers. These provider types are ordered from largest to smallest for the 3-year cohort.



The third graphic illustrates the proportion of the 1-year and 3-year cohorts with respect to the type of services being used. For instance, a larger proportion of the 3-year cohort used Other Therapeutic services than in the 1-year cohort. The opposite is true in the case of Laboratory services. These service types are ordered from largest to smallest for the 3-year cohort.

